

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT - WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
CRIMINAL MINUTE SHEET**

<b>USA v.</b> Barry Gordon Croft, Jr.	<b>Mag. Judge:</b> Sally J. Berens
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CASE NUMBER	DATE	TIME (begin/end)	PLACE	INTERPRETER
1:20-cr-00183-RJJ	6/16/2021	1:08 PM - 1:42 PM	Grand Rapids	

**APPEARANCES:**

Government: Austin Jacob Hakes and Nils R. Kessler	Defendant: Joshua Adam Blanchard	Counsel Designation: CJA Appointment
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OFFENSE LEVEL	CHARGING DOCUMENT/COUNTS	CHARGING DOCUMENT
Felony	Indictment, Counts 1-3	Read ____ Reading Waived ____

TYPE OF HEARING	DOCUMENTS	CHANGE OF PLEA
<input type="checkbox"/> First Appearance <input type="checkbox"/> Arraignment: <input type="checkbox"/> mute <input type="checkbox"/> nolo contendere <input type="checkbox"/> not guilty <input type="checkbox"/> guilty <input type="checkbox"/> Initial Pretrial Conference <input type="checkbox"/> Detention (waived <input type="checkbox"/> ) <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary (waived <input type="checkbox"/> ) <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 5 Proceeding <input type="checkbox"/> Revocation/SRV/PV <input type="checkbox"/> Bond Violation <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Plea <input type="checkbox"/> Sentencing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Mtn hrg re ECFs 193, 198, 210	<input type="checkbox"/> Defendant's Rights <input type="checkbox"/> Waiver of _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Consent to Mag. Judge for _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____  Court to Issue: <input type="checkbox"/> Report & Recommendation <input type="checkbox"/> Order of Detention <input type="checkbox"/> Order to file IPTC Statements <input type="checkbox"/> Bindover Order <input type="checkbox"/> Order Appointing Counsel <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Guilty Plea to Count(s) _____ of the _____ Count(s) to be dismissed at sentencing: _____ Presentence Report: <input type="checkbox"/> Ordered <input type="checkbox"/> Waived <input type="checkbox"/> Plea Accepted by the Court <input type="checkbox"/> No Written Plea Agreement  <div style="text-align: center;"><b>EXPEDITED RESOLUTION</b></div> <input type="checkbox"/> Case appears appropriate for expedited resolution

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	SENTENCING
Joseph E. Richotte appeared for BuzzFeed, Inc. and the New York Times.  Andrew Michael Pauwels appeared for The Detroit News and Scripps Media, Inc.	Imprisonment: _____ Probation: _____ Supervised Release: _____ Fine: \$ _____ Restitution: \$ _____ Special Assessment: \$ _____ Plea Agreement Accepted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Defendant informed of right to appeal: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Counsel informed of obligation to file appeal: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

CUSTODY/RELEASE STATUS	BOND AMOUNT AND TYPE
Detention Continued	\$ _____
<b>CASE TO BE:</b> Referred to District Judge	<b>TYPE OF HEARING:</b> Further Proceedings
<b>Reporter/Recorder:</b> Digitally Recorded	<b>Courtroom Deputy:</b> J. Norton